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Inspection service, Mexican border.

El Paso, Tex.—Acting Assistant Surgeon Alexander reports, August 1, 1903, as follows:

Week ended August 1, 1903.

Mexican Central passengers inspected	245
Rio Grande and Pacific passengers inspected	27
Mexican immigrants inspected	109
Syrian immigrants inspected	3
Soiled linen imported for laundry disinfected ... pieces	512
Vaccinations	6

Disinfected baggage of 3 passengers from Vera Cruz, a port infected with yellow fever.

Laredo, Tex.—Acting Assistant Surgeon Hamilton reports, August 2, 1903, as follows:

Week ended August 1, 1903: Number of passenger trains entering from Mexico inspected, 14; persons on trains entering from Mexico inspected, 475; immigrants inspected, 62; immigrants vaccinated, 11. July 26, 7 persons four days out from Vera Cruz detained and 5 trunks disinfected. August 1, 9 trunks disinfected.

Yellow fever in Victoria, Mexico.

[Telegram.]

LAREDO, TEX., *August 10, 1903.*

WYMAN, *Washington:*

Three yellow fever Victoria, Mexico, 1 death; official.

HAMILTON.

Statistical reports of States and cities of the United States—Yearly and monthly.

CALIFORNIA—*Fresno.*—Month of July, 1903. Estimated population, 18,000. Total number of deaths, 14, including 1 from enteric fever.

GEORGIA—*Augusta.*—Month of July, 1903. Estimated population, 42,441. Total number of deaths, 75, including enteric fever 1, whooping cough 3, and 7 from tuberculosis.

ILLINOIS—*Peoria.*—Month of July, 1903. Census population, 56,100. Total number of deaths, 65, including diphtheria 2, enteric fever 1, and 2 from tuberculosis.

Springfield.—Month of July, 1903. Estimated population, 40,000. Total number of deaths, 45, including diphtheria 2, enteric fever 2, and 12 from tuberculosis.

IOWA—*Des Moines.*—Month of July, 1903. Estimated population, 80,000. Total number of deaths, 56. No deaths from contagious diseases reported.